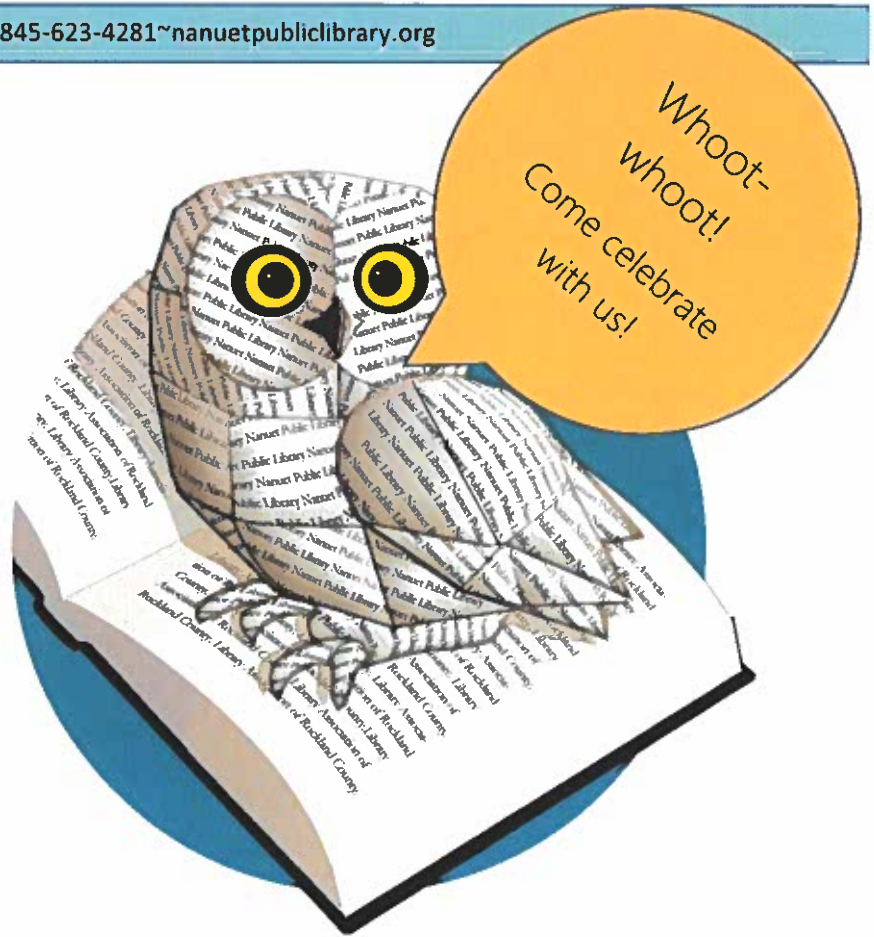


Sunday  
Sept. 15  
12 – 5 PM



Join us to celebrate 125 years  
of **Nanuet Public Library** with:

Slime Sessions (*register online*)

Birds of Prey (*register online*)

Jeffrey Friedberg and

the Bossy Frog Band (*register online*)

Mini Golf in the Stacks (*drop in*)

Nanuet Historical Photo Display

Food Trucks, Raffles, and more!

**Online Registration Begins September 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

PLEASE NOTE: THIS WILL BE A BUILDING-WIDE EVENT WITH LOTS OF FUN, ACTIVITIES, AND NOISE.

**IT WILL NOT BE A GOOD DAY FOR QUIET STUDY.** WE WILL GET BACK TO LIBRARY BUSINESS AS USUAL MONDAY.



# Nanuet Public Library

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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## **Nanuet Public Library Celebrates Its 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

On Sunday, September 15, 2019, the Nanuet Public Library will celebrate 125 years of public service and has planned a kick-off celebration to mark this special milestone.

The small library received its charter on December 12, 1894, from the Regents of the State University of New York. After being housed in the Highview School for many years, in 1959 the facilities were moved to a rented store front on Main Street in Nanuet with a capacity of 16,000 volumes. The library remained in this location until the move to its present site in December 1968. Over the years, a new 8,232 square foot building was constructed adjacent to the Nanuet Middle School with a capacity of 40,000 volumes. Years later, an 11,278 square foot addition opened to the public, and the older part of the building was renovated. Today, the library houses an expanded collection of more than 150,000 items, and provides the community with many diverse services, including a community room, story-telling room, high speed Internet access and extensive educational and cultural programming.

For 125 years, the Nanuet Public Library has provided information service to generations of Nanuet residents. Throughout the community, the library has been an integral part of Nanuet's history by hosting learning opportunities for patrons and visitors of all ages serving as the community's living room, a place for education, exploration, and inspiration.

Come join the library for this historic celebration from 12 to 5:00 p.m. Events scheduled for the day include entertainment by the Jeffrey Friedberg and the Bossy Frog Band, Birds of Prey presentation by the Delaware Valley Raptor Center, indoor mini golf in the library stacks, food trucks, costumed characters, and so many more activities for the entire family. The library's new Director, Jessica Bowen, says, *"It's an honor to be part of this celebration. I am excited to get to know the community and to celebrate this milestone with them."*

The Nanuet Public Library, located at 149 Church Street, Nanuet, New York, has been in your community for 125 years and we anticipate serving you for many more. Thank you library users and friends, for making our library system a priority and the treasure it is today!

For more information or to register for the scheduled main events, please visit [www.nanuetpubliclibrary.org/program](http://www.nanuetpubliclibrary.org/program) calendar or contact Kristen McNerney at [kward@rcls.org](mailto:kward@rcls.org) or (845) 623-4281 ext. 123.

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